

REMARKS

Applicant thanks Examiner for the detailed remarks and analysis. Claims 1-17 remain pending with claims 1, 9 and 12 amended.

Claims 1-3 and 5-8 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112. Claim 1 has been amended to include a compressor member supported on an inlet side by the inlet bearing and on an outlet side by an outlet bearing.

Claims 9-12 were objected to under 37 CFR 1.75 (a). Claims 9 and 12 along with the specification has been amended to recite a rotor screw. None of these amendments add new matter and are all supported by the specification as originally filed.

Accordingly, the claims are believed in condition for allowance. No additional fees are seen to be required. If any additional fees are due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C., for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

Respectfully Submitted,

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